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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 19, 2008, submitted herewith are Terminal Disclaimers that address the obviousness type double patenting rejections over US 6,793,914; US 6,503,490; and US Serial No. 10/895,179. Entry thereof and reconsideration and allowance of the subject claims are respectfully requested.

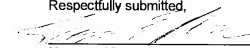
This submission accompanies the filing of a Request for Continued Examination of the subject application **in which a three month suspension of prosecution has been requested**. It is noted that a Request to Correct Inventorship is being filed in this application as well as in US 6,793,914, US 6,503,490 and U.S. Serial No. 10/895,179. The Request to Correct Inventorship seeks to add Harry Saul Winchell (deceased) as an inventor in each of these patents/applications. All right, title and interest arising out of Mr. Winchell's co-invention of these patents and applications has been assigned to Unilever Home & Personal Care USA, Division of Conopco Inc. The request to suspend prosecution is being made to allow sufficient time for the submissions required by the Request to Correct Inventorship to be finalized and the Request acted upon while the subject application remains pending.

In a telephone conversation with the undersigned on June 17, 2009, the filing of this Reply and Request for Continued Examination was proposed and discussed with Examiner Alton Pryor.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to our deposit account No. 12-1155, including all required fees under: 37 C.F.R. §1.16; 37 C.F.R. §1.17; 37 C.F.R. §1.18; 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

If a telephone conversation would be of assistance in advancing the prosecution of the present application, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone at the number provided.

Respectfully submitted,



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